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## NOTES AND NEWS

From June 18 to September 18, the address of the managing editor of this journal will be "North Edgecomb, Maine". Telegrams and express parcels should be addressed "Wiscasset, Maine".

### AMERICAN HISTORICAL ASSOCIATION

Dr. Otto L. Schmidt has been appointed chairman of the Conference of State and Local Historical Societies at the December meeting of the American Historical Association, in place of Mr. Clarence Burley, who was unable to serve.

Professor Cole's prize essay, *The Whig Party in the South*, and the reprint of Professor Muzzey's *The Spiritual Franciscans*, have been published. The *Annual Report* for 1912 would have been issued by this time but for a shortage of the proper kind of paper at the Government Printing Office, due to a large defective supply. The volume will be distributed during the summer. For the Historical Manuscripts Commission's report in the *Annual Report* for 1913, the papers of James A. Bayard (1767-1815), commissioner at Ghent, are being edited. They are lent by the kindness of Mr. Richard H. Bayard of Baltimore.

The London headquarters has been temporarily established in excellent rooms at 8 Southampton Street, High Holborn. The formal opening was made by the American ambassador, Dr. Page, on June 15. The secretary, Mr. A. Percival Newton, may be addressed there; subscriptions toward the furnishings, etc., may be sent to the managing editor of this journal.

Members interested in problems connected with the nomination and election of officers and the government of learned societies will find a valuable article on the subject in *Science* for May 15, by Professor H. Austin Aikins of Western Reserve University, who has collected data relative to the procedure of several scores of American organizations of this sort.

The *Bibliography of Modern British History*, it is now announced will be published in America by Longmans, Green, and Company. The committee of the Association has issued an appeal for subscribers to the whole work at the price of \$12. After the publication of the first volume the price will be \$15. Subscriptions and payments should be made to the treasurer of the committee, Professor Roger B. Merriman, 175 Brattle Street, Cambridge, Massachusetts.

*Writings on American History*, 1912, the latest issue of this annual bibliography, a volume of 199 pages, has come from the Yale University Press. Members of the Association are urged to purchase the volume, not only because of the value of the series to students of American history, but also in order to encourage the publishers in their disinterested undertaking of the book.

Professor Henry A. Sill contributes to the April number of *The History Teacher's Magazine* a paper entitled "Two Periods of Greek Expansion", namely, the early period of trans-Aegean migration, and the period of extensive colonization throughout the Mediterranean. Professor Herbert D. Foster writes in this issue concerning Adequate Tests in History. In the May number Professor William I. Hull discusses the International Interpretation of United States History, Professor D. C. Shilling, Some Problems of History Teaching, and Professor F. M. Fling, the Use of Sources in Teaching Greek History. The June number is marked by an admirable article on the Choice and Use of Books relating to the History of Greece, by Professor George W. Botsford.

#### PERSONAL

Otto Henne am Rhyn, for many years (1859-1872, 1885-1914) archivist and librarian of his native canton of St. Gallen, died there on April 30, at the age of eighty-six. His histories of the canton and of Switzerland, his *Kulturgeschichte des Deutschen Volkes* (1886, 1893), and his *Allgemeine Kulturgeschichte* (1897, 1899) are highly regarded.

Dr. James Hamilton Wylie, for thirty years an inspector of schools, the Ford Lecturer at the University of Oxford in 1900, and more recently an inspector for the Historical Manuscripts Commission, died in March at the age of seventy. For many years his leisure had been entirely devoted to the collection of material on the reigns of Henry IV. and Henry V., his work on the former having been published between 1884 and 1898. The first volume of his *Reign of Henry V.* had but recently appeared and will be reviewed in an early number of this journal. In addition to these works Dr. Wylie had also published *The Council of Constance to the Death of John Hus* (1900).

Dr. Adolph F. A. Bandelier, one of the most noted authorities in American archaeology, died in Madrid on March 19. Born in Bern in 1840, Dr. Bandelier had lived in the United States since his youth, but had travelled extensively, under the auspices of various American societies, in various parts of our southwest, of Mexico, and of Central and South America. His various publications for the Hemenway Archaeological Expedition, his *The Gilded Man*, and his more recent volumes on the Indians and aboriginal ruins of Chachapoyas and Titi-caca in Peru and Tiahuanaco in Bolivia have been contributions of great value to students in their respective fields.

Professor Newton Horace Winchell, of Minneapolis, died there on May 2, at the age of seventy-four. For twenty-eight years he was state geologist of Minnesota, but from 1906 had charge of the department of archaeology of the Minnesota Historical Society, publishing in 1911 an important work on the *Aborigines of Minnesota*.

Miss Agnes M. Wergeland, head of the department of history in the University of Wyoming and a woman of great learning, of various talents, and of much nobility and simplicity of character, died on March 6. Born in Norway in 1857, she was graduated at Zürich, and taught at Bryn Mawr and the universities of Illinois and Chicago. She had been a professor in the University of Wyoming since 1902.

Major-General Don Francisco J. Vergara y Velasco, distinguished as historian, as professor, as geographer, and as soldier, the initial volume of whose calendar of the archives of Colombia was noted in our January issue (XIX. 407), died in Barranquilla on January 21 at the age of fifty-four. His chief works were a general *Historia de Colombia* and a valued treatise on the *Campaña de 1818* in the War of Independence. The February number of the *Memorial del Estado Mayor del Ejército de Colombia* is devoted almost entirely to him.

Professor Sidney B. Fay, of Dartmouth College, has been elected professor of European history in Smith College, to take the place of Professor Charles D. Hazen, resigned. Professor Frank M. Anderson of the University of Minnesota has been elected to Dr. Fay's place.

Senhor Manoel de Oliveira Lima, J. D., of Brazil, is to serve at Harvard as professor of Latin-American history and economics during the second half of the next academic year. Dr. Howard L. Gray has been promoted to an assistant professorship in the same university.

Dr. Frederic Duncalf, of the University of Illinois, has been elected professor of medieval history in the University of Texas.

Dr. Carl F. Huth has been made assistant professor of ancient history in the University of Chicago.

Professor A. L. P. Dennis of the University of Wisconsin has been granted leave of absence for the year 1914-1915. Associate Professor W. L. Westermann has been promoted to a full professorship in that university.

Professor Percy F. Martin of the University of California has a half-year leave of absence for the first semester of the year 1914-1915, which he will spend in study and travel in Europe, especially in Spain. Mr. Samuel E. Morison, of Boston, teaches in the same university from June of the present year to December, inclusive.

#### GENERAL

General review: R. Schneider, *Chronique d'Histoire de l'Art* (Revue des Questions Historiques, April).

The preliminary announcement for the nineteenth International Congress of Americanists, to be held in Washington, October 5 to 10, is now available in print. Hon. John W. Foster is president, Professor William H. Holmes of the United States National Museum, chairman of the organizing committee, and Dr. Aleš Hrdlička of the Museum, secretary. The papers and discussions will relate to American anthropology, to American archaeology and ethnology, including folk-lore, linguistics, and comparative psychology, and to American history and geography in so far as these relate to the preceding. The sessions for the reading of papers will be held in the United States National Museum, which will also be the headquarters of the congress, but there will also be a reception at the Pan-American Building, a dinner offered by the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace, visits to Mt. Vernon, to Georgetown University, etc., and an excursion to the aboriginal quarries and workshops of Piney Branch. An excursion of two or three weeks to the classical mound regions of Ohio, Illinois, and Missouri, and to Santa Fé and the pueblo region is also planned. It is not yet certain whether an additional session of the congress will be held at La Paz, Bolivia. The full programmes will be obtainable from the secretary in September. Additional memberships are much desired.

Just as this journal goes to press arrives the first number (June, 1914) of *The Mississippi Valley Historical Review*, a handsome royal octavo of 163 pages, to which we extend a cordial welcome. The leading articles are: one on the United States and Mexico, 1835-1837, by Professor E. C. Barker; one on Louisiana as a Factor in American Diplomacy, 1795-1800, by Professor J. A. James; a general review of McMaster's eight volumes, by Professor Carl R. Fish; and a survey of the historical activities of the last year or two in the Old Northwest and Eastern Canada. Some interesting documents are printed, and forty-two reviews of books in various fields of American history and political science. On the briefest inspection (all that is now possible) the new journal seems worthy of hearty commendation and support.

The March *Bulletin* of the New York Public Library contains a useful note on the bibliography of the *Journals* of the General Assembly of the colony of New York, especially for the period 1768-1775, for which the library has recently acquired the only consecutive set of journals known. The April number finishes the list of works in the library relating to numismatics and continues that relating to Scotland, which is finished in the May number.

Two lectures delivered before the University of London in October, 1913, by Professor H. Delbrück, have been published under the title *Numbers in History* (London, University of London Press, 1913, pp. 77). By discussing how the Greeks defeated the Persians, the Romans conquered the world, the Teutons overthrew the Roman Empire, and William the Norman took possession of England, he shows that mere

weight of numbers has not been the deciding factor in many of the greatest struggles in history.

The Hamburg Historical Society has published B. Hagedorn's *Die Entwicklung der wichtigsten Schiffstypen bis ins 19. Jahrhundert* (Berlin, Curtius, 1914, pp. xvi, 138).

The February number of the *Revue de Synthèse Historique* is devoted, even to the advertisements, to the history of art. V. Chapot contributes an article on "Les Méthodes Archéologiques"; L. Hourticq, on "La Méthode en Histoire de l'Art"; and L. Réau, under the title "Un Théoricien de l'Histoire de l'Art", reviews Hans Tietze's "Die Methode der Kunstgeschichte" (Leipzig, Seemann, 1913, pp. 489). A series of articles deals with the teaching of the history of art in France, Germany, England, Austria, Belgium, Italy, and Switzerland. The reviews deal with many of the more important publications on the history of art during the last two years.

The Archaeological Institute of America now adds to its scientific *Bulletin* a more popular magazine, *Art and Archaeology*. The intention is to supply intelligent readers with an interesting illustrated account of recent progress in the fields to which the Institute is devoted. The first number, July, 1914, makes an excellent beginning. Dr. W. H. Holmes of the National Museum has a good paper, opening a series on Masterpieces of Aboriginal American Art, this first being on stucco-work; Professor E. K. Rand discourses on the School of Classical Studies of the American Academy in Rome; Professor Allan Marquand on Luca della Robbia's Visitation, at Pistoia; Professor A. T. Clay on Ancient Babylonian Antiquaries; Miss Edith H. Hall on the Excavations at Vrokastro, Crete, in 1912. All the articles are short, and all are admirably illustrated.

The Library of Congress has issued a *Catalogue of Opera Librettos printed before 1800*, in two volumes, prepared by O. G. T. Sonneck, chief of the division of music. Volume I. contains titles, volume II., author list, composer list, and aria index.

Colonel Theodore Roosevelt's *History as Literature, and other Essays* (Scribner, 1913, pp. 310) includes his annual address before the American Historical Association, printed last year in this journal, his Romanes lecture on Biological Analogies in History, his Berlin address on the World Movement, his address at the Sorbonne on Citizenship in a Republic, and other papers less connected with history.

Noteworthy articles in periodicals: C. W. Alvord, *The Science of History* (Popular Science Monthly, May); P. Dehn, *Das Stille Meer* (Schmoller's Jahrbuch, XXXVIII. 1); *The Significance of Kingship* (Edinburgh Review, April); H. J. Randall, *European Legal History* (Law Quarterly Review, April).

## ANCIENT HISTORY

J. de Morgan has just published *Les Premières Civilisations: Études sur la Préhistoire et l'Histoire* (Paris, Leroux, 1914, pp. 600), in which he makes a masterly survey of the cultural development of various peoples down to the time of Alexander the Great. Another notable contribution to the study of the prehistoric period is *Die Vorklassische Chronologie Italiens* (Stockholm, Haeggstroem, 1912, pp. 246, reviewed by K. H. Jacob, *Literarisches Zentralblatt*, March 14) by Professor Oscar Montelius of Stockholm. The work is richly illustrated. On the basis of a very careful comparative study, Professor Montelius undertakes to fix, for Italy, the chronology of the copper, bronze, and iron ages.

*Hebrew and Babylonian Traditions*, by Professor Morris Jastrow, jr. (Scribner), is devoted to pointing out the marked differences between the myths and traditions of the two countries, in spite of their common origin.

Volume IV. of the *Hand-Books on the History of Religions* (Ginn and Company) is Professor C. H. Toy's *Introduction to the History of Religions*, a comprehensive outline of the researches into the early beliefs of mankind.

The first part of the second volume of the revised edition of Professor Beloch's *Griechische Geschichte* (Strassburg, Trübner, 1914) has appeared. The account is carried to the outbreak of the Peloponnesian War.

The seventh issue of the remarkable series, *Tabulae in Usum Scholarum* (Bonn, Marcus and Weber), is *Inscriptiones Graecae*, edited by Professor Otto Kern of Halle, and a most admirable publication. Fifty plates, beautifully executed, present nearly 130 inscriptions, selected with great care, and ranging from the sixth century B. C. to the fourth A. D., and through a wide variety of inscribed objects.

W. W. Buckland, regius professor of civil law in the University of Cambridge, has published through the University Press *The Roman Law of Slavery*, which describes the legal condition of the slaves from Augustus to Justinian.

*Spain under the Roman Empire*, by E. S. Bouchier (Oxford, Blackwell), gives an account of the history, a description of the antiquities, and a sketch of the literature of Spain under the Roman Empire.

*The Eastern Libyans* (Macmillan), by Mr. Oric Bates of Boston, is warmly commended in European publications. In addition to learned studies, the author has studied the north-central African races in their own homes and has been engaged in the archaeological survey of Nubia. The origin of the Libyans he regards as still an unsolved problem.

Noteworthy articles in periodicals: M. Pieper, *Untersuchungen zur Geschichte der XIII. Dynastie* (Zeitschrift für Aegyptische Sprache und Altertumskunde, LI. 1); J. von Prášek, *Dareios I.* (Der Alte Orient, XIV. 4); M. O. B. Caspari, *The Parliament of the Achaean League* (English Historical Review, April); L. Joulin, *Les Âges Protohistoriques dans l'Europe Barbare*, I. (Revue Archéologique, January); E. Païs, *Fundi degli Ausoni; per la Storia delle Città e della Popolazione d'Italia* (Studi Storici per l'Antichità Classica, VI. 1); P. Fraccaro, *Studi sull' Età dei Gracchi* (*ibid.*); J. Kromayer, *Die Wirtschaftliche Entwicklung Italiens im II. und I. Jahrhundert v. Chr.* (Neue Jahrbücher, XXXIII. 3).

### EARLY CHURCH HISTORY

The first part of Professor J. Weiss's *Das Urchristentum* (Göttingen, Vandenhoeck and Ruprecht, 1914, pp. iv, 416) deals chiefly with St. Paul.

Pierre de Labriolle has written *La Crise Montaniste* (Paris, Leroux, 1914), and has published *Les Sources de l'Histoire du Montanisme* (*ibid.*), containing the Greek, Latin, and Syriac texts, with French translations and critical notes.

Among the Cambridge University Press announcements is that of *St. Basil the Great: a Study in Monasticism*, by W. K. Lowther Clarke.

Noteworthy articles in periodicals: A. Harnack, *Tertullians Bibliothek Christlicher Schriften* (Sitzungsberichte der K. Preuss. Akad. der Wissenschaften, 1914, 10); A. Bauer, *Hippolytos von Rom: der Heilige und Geschichtschreiber* (Neue Jahrbücher, XXXIII. 2); K. Bihlmeyer, *Das angebliche Toleranzedikt Konstantins von 312, mit Beiträgen zur Mailänder Konstitution, 313* (Theologische Quartalschrift, XCVI. 1); J. Mansion, *Les Origines du Christianisme chez les Gots* (Analecta Bollandiana, XXXIII. 1); C. Müller, *Ulfilas Ende* (Zeitschrift für Deutsches Altertum und Deutsche Literatur, LV. 1).

### MEDIEVAL HISTORY

General review: E. Jordan, *Histoire de l'Église, Moyen Âge* (Revue Historique, May).

The instructive survey of *The Present State of Mediaeval Studies in Great Britain*, which was presented by Professor T. F. Tout as a presidential address to the medieval section of the International Congress of Historical Studies at London in April, 1913, is now published by the Oxford University Press from the *Proceedings* of the British Academy.

Dr. A. Schäfer's thesis on *Die Bedeutung der Päpste Gregor II., 715-731, und Gregor III., 731-741, für die Gründung des Kirchenstaates* (Münster, 1913) may serve as an introduction to the thorough critical

study by E. Caspar of *Pippin und die Römische Kirche* (Berlin, Springer, 1914).

A recent publication of the Görres-Gesellschaft is H. Zimmermann's *Die Päpstliche Legation in der Ersten Hälfte des 13. Jahrhunderts, 1198-1241* (Paderborn, Schöningh, 1913, pp. xvi, 348).

*Bullaire de l'Inquisition Française au XIV<sup>e</sup> Siècle et jusqu'à la Fin du Grand Schisme*, by the Abbé J. M. Vidal (Paris, Letouzey, 1913), has collected all the references in the papal registers to the inquisition in France during the period named.

Noteworthy articles in periodicals: E. Perels, *Die Briefe Papst Nikolaus' I.*, II. (Neues Archiv, XXXIX. 1); G. Schlumberger, *Prise de Jérusalem par les Guerriers de la Première Croisade, le 15 Juillet 1099, d'après les plus récents Travaux Historiques* (Revue Hebdomadaire, April 18); F. C. Dietz, *Industry in Pisa in the Early Fourteenth Century* (Quarterly Journal of Economics, February); G. Lizerand, *Les Constitutions "Romani Principes" et "Pastoralis Cura" et leurs Sources* (Nouvelle Revue Historique de Droit Français et Étranger, November); A. Eitel, *Zur Kritik der Approbationsverhandlungen Papst Bonifaz' IX. mit König Ruprecht von der Pfalz* (Historisches Jahrbuch, XXXV. 1).

### MODERN EUROPEAN HISTORY

General reviews: Anonymous, *Opere sulla Storia della Compagnia di Gesù* (La Civiltà Cattolica, February 21); J. Hashagen, *Geschichte der Geistigen Kultur von der Mitte des 17. bis zum Ausgange des 18. Jahrhunderts*, II. (Archiv für Kulturgeschichte, XII. 1); E. Mayer, *Ouvrages d'Histoire Militaire* (Revue des Études Napoléoniennes, March, May); G. Bourgin, *Les Études Napoléoniennes en Italie* (*ibid.*, March); A. Mansuy, *Les Études Napoléoniennes en Russie* (*ibid.*, May).

John Murray has recently published George V. Jourdan's *The Movement towards Catholic Reform in the Early Sixteenth Century*, which covers the years 1496 to 1528.

The Oxford University Press has issued vol. III. of Mr. P. S. Allen's *Opus Epistolarum Desiderii Erasmi Roterodami*, which includes the letters from July, 1517, to June, 1519.

Several problems of Jesuit history are discussed by D. Böhmer in *Studien zur Geschichte der Gesellschaft Jesu* (Bonn, Falkenroth, 1914, pp. 452).

John Lane has published an English translation of M. Charles Bastide's *Anglais et Français du XVII<sup>e</sup> Siècle*, recently reviewed in this journal (XVIII. 395), under the title *The Anglo-French Entente in the Seventeenth Century*. The translation has been made by M. Bastide himself.

Messrs. Longmans have just published Dr. David J. Hill's *The Diplomacy of the Age of Absolutism, 1648-1775*, which is vol. III. of his *History of Diplomacy in the International Development of Europe*.

Baron Descamps and Professor Louis Renault have brought out the first volume of a *Recueil International des Traités du XIX<sup>e</sup> Siècle*, which covers the years 1801-1825 (Paris, Rousseau, 1914, pp. 1030). The series will contain about six volumes, and will be followed by a new series for the present century. The publication will include both the original texts and French translations.

Noteworthy articles in periodicals: Mgr. Barnes, *Martin Luther, Augustinian Friar* (Dublin Review, April); Ephraim Emerton, *Martin Luther in the Light of Recent Criticism* (Harvard Theological Review, April); A. Elkan, *Entstehung und Entwicklung des Begriffs "Gegenreformation"* (Historische Zeitschrift, CXII. 3); Madame I. Lubimenko, *A Project for the Acquisition of Russia by James I.* (English Historical Review, April); G. Roloff, *Der Papst in der Letzten Grossen Krisis des Protestantismus [1688]* (Preussische Jahrbücher, May); J. H. Rose, *Frederick the Great and England, 1756-1763*, II. (English Historical Review, April); M. Handelsman, *Napoléon et la Pologne* (Revue des Études Napoléoniennes, March); F. Masson, *L'Autriche et Napoléon en 1812: Dépêches de M. de Lebzeltern à Metternich* (*ibid.*, March, May); J. Colin, *La Bataille de Montmirail* (*ibid.*, May); David Starr Jordan, *Alsace-Lorraine: a Study of Conquest* (Atlantic Monthly, May).

#### GREAT BRITAIN AND IRELAND

*Bulletin no. 11*, of the Departments of History and Political and Economic Science in Queen's University, Kingston, Ontario, comprises two studies by L. F. Rushbrook Williams, *St. Alban in History and Legend: a Critical Examination*, and *the King and his Councillors: Prolegomena to a History of the House of Lords*.

The Royal Historical Society plans to commemorate, on June 15, 1915, the seven hundredth anniversary of the granting of Magna Carta. It is expected that the arrangements will include the reading and ultimate publication of papers by eminent scholars, a visit to Runnymede, exhibitions of the original copies of the Charter and of cognate manuscripts, and possibly a public dinner or other entertainment. Co-operation may be expected on the part of the Corporation of London, which was so conspicuous in the obtaining of the Charter, the universities, the British Academy, and many others.

*A Grammar of English Heraldry*, by W. H. St. John Hope, in the series of *Cambridge Manuals of Science and Literature*, is an excellent attempt to place in small compass the principles of English heraldry, and to bring to the student some knowledge of the sources for such studies.

Messrs. Longmans have published *The Economic Organizations of England: an Outline History*, which consists of the lectures delivered at Hamburg by Professor W. J. Ashley.

Volume XI. of the *Harvard Economic Studies* is to appear shortly. This is *The Evolution of the English Corn Market from the Twelfth to the Eighteenth Century*, by Professor N. S. B. Gras.

The Ford Lectures for 1913, *The Place of the Reign of Edward II. in English History*, delivered by Professor T. F. Tout, have been published by the Manchester University Press with some alterations and additions.

The history of those Catholic exiles who left England after the Acts of Uniformity and Supremacy were passed is traced in a volume by the Rev. Peter Guilday entitled *The English Catholic Refugees on the Continent, 1558-1795*, which Messrs. Longmans are announcing for early publication. In *Les Réfugiés Anglais dans les Pays-Bas Espagnols durant le Règne d'Élisabeth, 1558-1603* (Louvain, Université, 1914, pp. 268), R. Lechat of the Society of Jesus treats a part of the same field.

Mr. Frank A. Mumby has added to his popular work on Elizabeth a volume on *Elizabeth and Mary Stuart: the Beginning of the Feud*, which utilizes selections from the State Papers, the Burghley Papers, and an unpublished letter in the Egerton MSS., with the connecting links which complete the narrative supplied by Mr. Mumby. Noteworthy also is Henry C. Shelley's *The Tragedy of Mary Stuart* (Little, Brown, and Company), which deals with the fifteen months of her life from February, 1567, to May, 1568, and has much of interest for the general reader.

Dr. F. Harzendorf's *Die Einkommensteuer in England* is published as the forty-eighth supplementary volume to the *Zeitschrift für die Gesamte Staatswissenschaft*.

The editor of the *Windham Papers* has recently published *The Wellesley Papers: the Life and Correspondence of Richard Colley Wellesley, Marquess Wellesley, 1760-1842*, in two volumes. There is little in these papers which adds to our knowledge of events, but we derive some new light on the character of the Marquess of Wellesley.

*The War Office Past and Present*, by Capt. Owen Wheeler (Methuen), is for the early period a solid piece of work, but the later chapters are not so satisfactory.

A new edition of Wakefield's celebrated *View of the Art of Colonization* has been issued by the Clarendon Press (Oxford, 1914, pp. xxiv, xxiv, 510) with a valuable introduction by Mr. James Collier.

A. Wyatt Tilby has added a volume entitled *South Africa, 1486-1913*, to his *English People Overseas* (Houghton Mifflin).

Dr. W. H. Fitchett is the author of *The New World of the South: or Australia in the Making* (Bell and Sons), which deals only with the early history of Australia, and largely with the picturesque aspects of that history.

British government publications: *Calendar of Charter Rolls*, vol. IV., 1327-1341, ed. C. G. Crump and C. H. Jenkinson; *Calendar of Letters, Despatches, and State Papers, relating to the Negotiations between England and Spain, preserved in the Archives at Vienna, Brussels, Simancas, and elsewhere*, vol. X., Edward VI., ed. Royall Tyler.

Other documentary publications: *Chronica Johannis de Reading et Anonymi Cantuariensis*, 1346-1367, ed. James Tait (Manchester University Press); *Diocesis Wyntoniensis, Registrum Johannis de Pontisara*, pars secunda (Canterbury and York Society); *Diocesis Herefordensis, Registrum Ludowici de Charltona, Registrum Willelmi de Courtenay* (*id.*); *The Ledger-Book of Vale Royal Abbey*, ed. John Brownhill (Lancashire and Cheshire Record Society); *The Coventry Leet Book, or Mayor's Register, containing the Records of the City Court Leet or View of Frankpledge, A. D. 1420-1555, with divers other Matters*, part IV., ed. Mary Dormer Harris (Early English Text Society); *The Port Books of Southampton*, ed. Paul Strider (Southampton Record Society); *Register of the Parish of Melrose, 1642-1820*, ed. C. S. Romanes (Scottish Record Society).

Noteworthy articles in periodicals: C. P. Sherman, *The Romanization of English Law* (Yale Law Journal, February); G. B. Adams, *The Local King's Court in the Reign of William I.* (*ibid.*, April); Sir J. H. Ramsay, *The Strength of English Armies in the Middle Ages* (English Historical Review, April); J. F. Willard, *The Taxes upon Movables of the Reign of Edward II.* (*ibid.*); Sir H. Maxwell, *The Battle of Banockburn* (Scottish Historical Review, April); R. Dunlop, *The English in Ireland* (Quarterly Review, April); Miss Cora L. Scofield, *The Early Life of John de Vere, Thirteenth Earl of Oxford* (English Historical Review, April); Mme. I. Lubimenko, *The First Relations of England with Russia* (Russian Review, February); W. Roughead, *Scottish Witch Trials*, II. (The Juridical Review, XXV. 3 and 4); J. J. Jusserand, *A French Ambassador's Impressions of England in 1666* (Nineteenth Century and After, April); H. C. Shelley, *Irish Viceroys before the Union* (Edinburgh Review, April); G. Schmoller, *Die Soziale Bewegung Englands von 1770-1912 im Lichte der Marxistischen Klassenkampfsideen* (Schmoller's Jahrbuch, XXXVIII. 1); *British Foreign Policy in the Last Century* (Quarterly Review, April).

#### FRANCE

L. Halphen, H. Hauser, G. Pagès, *Histoire de France* (Revue Historique, May).

The first volume of H. Lévy-Bruhl's *Les Élections Abbatiales en France* (Paris, Rousseau, 1913, pp. 201) treats the Frankish period with a critical thoroughness that promises well for the work.

In the first volume of *Les Corsaires Dunkerquois et Jean Bart* (Paris, *Mercure de France*, 1912-1913), Henri Malo deals with events prior to 1662. The second volume relates mainly to the career of Jean Bart.

Dr. F. K. Mann has made an elaborate critical study of the problem of the mercantile system in *Der Marschall Vauban und die Volkswirtschaftslehre des Absolutismus* (Leipzig, Duncker and Humblot, 1914).

M. G. Martin is the author of *L'Histoire du Crédit en France sous le Règne de Louis XIV.: le Crédit Public*, published in Paris by Messrs. Larose and Tenin.

Fernand Caussy has undertaken to publish nine volumes of *Oeuvres Inédites de Voltaire* (Paris, Champion) as a supplement to the older editions of Voltaire's works. Two volumes will be made up of historical writings, and six of correspondence. A similar *Collection des Inédits de Montesquieu* (*ibid.*) has just been completed by the publication of two volumes of correspondence, edited by F. Gebelin.

The second volume of C. Porée's *Documents relatifs à la Vente des Biens Nationaux dans le District de Sens* (Paris, Leroux, 1913, pp. 741) is the latest issue of the *Collection des Documents inédits sur l'Histoire Économique de la Révolution Française* to come to hand.

*Le District de Saint-Germain-en-Laye pendant la Révolution* (Paris, Rieder, 1914, pp. iii, 238) contains thirteen of the proposed twenty-four chapters of a doctor's thesis which Mlle. G. Rocher had completed under the direction of Professor Aulard, prior to her death recently. The work is done entirely from the national, departmental, and communal archives, and is a good piece of research well presented. The chapters published include an account of events from the effects of the 14th of July, 1789, through the elections to the Convention in August, 1792, and the treatment of the three special topics, the committees of surveillance, the revolutionary cults, and subsistences.

Among recent notable volumes on the personality of Napoleon and his early campaigns are Lieutenant L. Caresme, *Bonaparte, Lieutenant en Second* (Paris, Berger-Levrault, 1914); Colonel Vachée, *Napoléon en Campagne* (*ibid.*, 1913, pp. vii, 218), a personal not a military study; the fourth volume of Captain G. Fabry's *Campagne de l'Armée de l'Italie, 1796-1797* (Paris, Dorbon, 1914); and M. Bottet, *Napoléon aux Camps de Boulogne: la Côte de Fer et les Flottilles* (Paris, Ambert, 1914), for which both the national archives and the archives of Boulogne were used.

Among the volumes called forth by the centenary of the overthrow of Napoleon are the third volume, dealing with 1814, of F. M. Kirchei-

sen's *Napoleons Untergang, Ausgewählte Memoirenstücke* (Stuttgart, Lutz, 1914); Professor A. Chuquet's similar volume, *L'Année 1814* (Paris, Fontemoing, 1914); *Napoleon at Bay* (John Lane), by F. Loraine Petre; a new edition with additional documents of H. Geschwind and F. Gelis's *La Bataille de Toulouse* (Toulouse, Privat, 1914, pp. 177); *La Guerre de Partisans contre Napoléon* (Paris, Berger-Levrault, 1914), the memoirs of Captain von Colomb who harassed Napoleon's army in Germany; Marquis Calmon-Maison's *Le Général Maison et le 1<sup>er</sup> Corps de la Grande Armée, Campagne de Belgique, Décembre, 1813-Avril, 1814* (Paris, Calmann-Lévy, 1914); and a new edition, prepared by G. Lenotre, of Baron Fain's *Manuscrit de 1814* (Paris, Perrin, 1914).

*Napoleon in Exile: Elba (1814-1815)*, by Mr. Norwood Young (Stanley Paul), uses material gathered by the late Earl of Crawford and not heretofore made use of, but presents no important information that is new.

J. Burnichon of the Society of Jesus has undertaken a comprehensive account of *La Compagnie de Jésus en France: Histoire d'un Siècle, 1814-1914* (Paris, Beauchesne, 1914). The first volume, of 640 pages, takes the narrative only to the Revolution of 1830.

Camille Ducray has written biographical sketches of *Henri Rochefort, 1831-1913* (Paris, Ambert, 1914), and of *Paul Déroulède, 1846-1914* (*ibid.*). Émile Faguet has contributed to the series, *Figures du Passé*, a life of *Monseigneur Dupanloup, un Grand Évêque* (Paris, Hachette, 1914). *Dans les Champs du Pouvoir* is a volume of autobiographical interest by G. Clémenceau (Paris, Payot, 1913, pp. xv, 420).

H. Dutrait-Crozon's *Gambetta et la Défense Nationale, 1870-1871* (Paris, Nouvelle Librairie Nationale, 1914, pp. 584) is one of the most interesting, perhaps one of the best, recent contributions to the history of the war of 1870.

Volume IV. of the *Correspondance du Duc d'Aumale et de Cuvillier-Fleury, 1865-1871*, has recently been published by Messrs. Plon-Nourrit.

In the series of excellent monographs published by the *Revue de Synthèse Historique* on "Les Régions de la France" the ninth issue is on *L'Ile-de-France* (Paris, Cerf, 1913, pp. 135), by Marc Bloch, professor in the lycée of Amiens. After an investigation of the origin and varying significance of the name, Ile-de-France, and a description of the geographical features of the region, the main portion of the monograph is devoted to an analysis of the materials and literature relating to the history of the province. Unfortunately no maps are included in these monographs.

E. Rouard de Card has collected the *Traité et Accords concernant le Protectorat de la France au Maroc* (Paris, Pedone, 1914).

Noteworthy articles in periodicals: J. Flach, *Le Comté de Flandre et ses Rapports avec la Couronne de France du IX<sup>e</sup> au XV<sup>e</sup> Siècle*, II.

(Revue Historique, March); O. Martin, *Sentences Civiles du Châtelet de Paris, 1395-1505, publiées d'après les Registres Originaux*, I., II. (Nouvelle Revue Historique de Droit Français et Étranger, November, January); P. Gaffarel, *Les Lettres de Cachet en Provence dans les Dernières Années de l'Ancien Régime* (Revue Historique, May); L. Madelin, *La Jeunesse de Danton, ses Débuts Politiques* (Revue des Études Historiques, March); Miss M. A. Pickford, *The Panic of 1789 in Lower Dauphiné and in Provence* (English Historical Review, April); L. Madelin, *La Dernière Année de Danton* (Revue des Deux Mondes, March 1, 15, April 1); P. Caron, *Les Commissaires du Conseil Exécutif et leurs Rapports* (Revue d'Histoire Moderne et Contemporaine, January); J. Bourdon, *L'Administration Communale sous le Consulat* (Revue des Études Napoléoniennes, May); L. Chaptal, *Le Mouvement Social en 1814* (Revue Hebdomadaire, February 28); Jules Ferry, *Lettres, 1860-1871* (Revue de Paris, May 1); Colonel Gory, *Les Soldats de 1870* (Journal des Sciences Militaires, March 1-April 25).

### ITALY, SPAIN, AND PORTUGAL

Three notable studies of medieval Italy have recently appeared. The Baroness Diane de Guldenchrone has written of *L'Italie Byzantine: Étude sur le Haut Moyen Âge, 400-1050* (Paris, Leroux, 1914). G. Mengozzi deals with the Lombard and Frankish periods in *La Città Italiana nell'Alto Medio Evo* (Rome, Loescher, 1914). The Görres-Gesellschaft has published L. Mohler's *Die Kardinäle Jakob und Peter Colonna* (Paderborn, Schöningh, 1914), which relates to the close of the thirteenth century. Mention may also be made of R. Palmarocchi's *L'Abbazia di Montecassino e la Conquista Normanna* (Rome, Loescher, 1913, pp. xx, 268) and F. Baethgen's *Die Regentschaft Papst Innocenz III. im Königreich Sizilien* (Heidelberg, Winter, 1913, pp. viii, 164).

In *Memorie e Documenti di Storia Italiana dei Secoli XVIII. e XIX.* (Florence, Sansoni), A. d'Ancona has published essays on Frederick the Great and the Italians, on Tuscany in 1799, and on Manzoni, Stendhal, Gioberti, Cavour, and Giordani. In another volume of essays, the same author gives *Ricordi Storici del Risorgimento Italiano* (*ibid.*). D. Battesti, professor in the lycée at Nîmes, has written *Un Patriote Italien* (Bourges, Sire, 1913, pp. 287), which is a life of Massimo d'Azeglio. An account of *Radetzky a Verona nel 1848* (Verona, Cabianca, 1914, pp. 447) is by G. Polver.

Houghton Mifflin Company has published a study of Cavour by Giovanni Visconti Venosta entitled *Memoirs of Youth*, translated by Dr. William Prall. The announcement comes from Florence that the national committee on the history of Italy is planning the publication of the complete works of Cavour.

An account of the court officials and central administration of Aragon is contained in *Aragonesische Hofordnungen im 13. und 14. Jahrhundert*, by Dr. K. Schwarz (Berlin, Rothschild, 1914, pp. x, 144).

Dr. Julius Klein, whose discovery of the archives of the Mesta (gild of sheep-owners, 1273-1836) has been mentioned in this journal (XVIII. 656), has given an account of his find in the February number of the *Boletín* of the Royal Academy of History, where two of the oldest charters of the Mesta, with notes, are published. Others are to appear shortly in the *Bulletin Hispanique* of Paris. Later a complete history of the Mesta will be brought out, probably under the auspices of Harvard University.

Mr. Bolton Glanville Corney has translated and the Hakluyt Society has published *The Quest and Occupation of Tahiti by Emissaries of Spain during the years 1772-1776, told in Despatches and other Contemporary Documents*, vol. I.

*The Golden Age of Prince Henry the Navigator*, by J. P. Oliveira Martins, translated with additions and annotations by J. Johnston Abraham and W. E. Reynolds (London, Chapman and Hall), is the first translation into English of this valuable narrative.

Noteworthy articles in periodicals: J. Goetz, *Kritische Beiträge zur Geschichte der Pataria*, I. (Archiv für Kulturgeschichte, XII. 1); A. de Boüard, *La Suzeraineté du Pape sur Rome aux XIII<sup>e</sup> et XIV<sup>e</sup> Siècles* (Revue Historique, May); A. Anzilotti, *Per la Storia delle Signorie e del Diritto Pubblico Italiano del Rinascimento* (Studi Storici, XXII. 1); P. Cardona, *La Sicilia durante la 1<sup>a</sup> e 2<sup>a</sup> Coalizione contro la Francia, 1793-1801*, I. (Archivio Storico per la Sicilia Orientale, XI. 1); E. Loevinson, *Gli Ufficiali Napoleonici dello Stato Pontificio* (Nuova Antologia, February 16); M. Mazziotti, *I Testamenti del Conte di Cavour* (*ibid.*, April 16); M. Hume, *Las Reinas de la España Antigua: Isabel la Católica*, I., II. (La España Moderna, March 1, April 1); A. Morel-Fatio, *A Propos de la Correspondance Diplomatique de D. Diego Hurtado de Mendoza* [ambassador of Charles V.] (Bulletin Hispanique, April); G. Desdevises du Dezert, *Les Jésuites de la Province d'Aragon au XVIII<sup>e</sup> Siècle* (Revue Historique, March); F. Rousseau, *Les Sociétés Secrètes en Espagne au XVIII<sup>e</sup> Siècle et sous Joseph Bonaparte* (Revue des Études Historiques, March); Guernsey Jones, *The Revolution in Portugal* (Mid-West Quarterly, April).

#### GERMANY, AUSTRIA, AND SWITZERLAND

General reviews: C. Freiherr von Schwerin, *Germanistische Rechtsgeschichte* (Die Geisteswissenschaften, February 19); W. Stein, *Stand und Aufgaben der Hansischen Geschichtsforschung* (*ibid.*, February 5); H. Witte, *Entwicklungsgang der Historischen Nationalitätenforschung des Deutschen Sprachgebiets* (*ibid.*, March 5); G. Loesche, *Die Geschichtsschreibung über den Protestantismus in Oesterreich* (*ibid.*, April 2); H. Bourgin, *Publications Économiques des Universités Allemandes* (Revue de Synthèse Historique, December).

A manual compiled by E. Guglia contains *Die Geburts-, Sterbe-, und Grabstätten der Römisch-Deutschen Kaiser und Könige* (Vienna, Schroll, 1914, pp. vi, 199).

H. Thimme has published the seventh and final volume of *Sauerland's Urkunden und Regesten zur Geschichte der Rheinlande aus dem Vatikanischen Archiv* (Bonn, Hanstein, 1914). The volume contains documents for the period from 1400 to 1425. E. E. Stengel has begun the publication of the *Urkundenbuch des Klosters Fulda* (Marburg, Elwert, 1914). Two volumes of *Frankfurter Amts- und Zunftsurkunden*, edited by K. Bücher and B. Schmidt (Frankfort-on-the-Main, Baer, 1914, pp. xcii, 546; viii, 481), relate to the period prior to 1612.

In the series *Aus Natur und Geisteswelt*, the two volumes of Professor O. Weber's *Von Luther zu Bismarck: Zwölf Charakterbilder aus Deutscher Geschichte* have been issued in a second edition, with some revisions, including the substitution of a chapter on the Elector Maximilian of Bavaria for the one on the Emperor Rudolf II. Among the new volumes are *Von Jena bis zum Wiener Kongress* by Professor G. Roloff of Giessen, and *Die Freimaurerei: eine Einführung in ihre Anschauungswelt und ihre Geschichte* by L. Keller. Professor Roloff has centred his attention upon Prussia, and especially upon the reforms of Stein and Hardenberg. The latter volume is devoted mainly to freemasonry in Germany in the eighteenth and nineteenth centuries (Leipzig, Teubner, 1914).

The Saxon side of the war of the Polish succession, as revealed in the Dresden archives, is studied in full detail by Dr. R. Beyrich in *Kursachsen und die Polnische Thronfolge, 1733-1736* (Leipzig, Quelle and Meyer, 1913, pp. xvi, 174).

A recent issue in Lamprecht's *Allgemeine Staatengeschichte* is Professor A. Wohlwill's *Neuere Geschichte der Freien und Hansestadt Hamburg, insbesondere von 1789 bis 1815* (Gotha, Perthes, 1914, pp. x, 568). Some light on the history of Hamburg during the period is also furnished by H. Sieveking's *Georg Heinrich Sieveking: Lebensbild eines Hamburgischen Kaufmanns aus dem Zeitalter der Französischen Revolution* (Berlin, Curtius, 1913, pp. xii, 548). Sieveking was the envoy of his city to Paris in 1796.

The *Denkwürdigkeiten* of Prince Frederick Charles have been published by W. Foerster (two vols., Stuttgart, Deutsche Verlags-Anstalt, 1914). *Karl Anton, Fürst von Hohenzollern: ein Lebensbild*, by K. T. Zingeler (*ibid.*) is based upon the prince's papers.

Dodd, Mead, and Company are the publishers of an anonymous memoir of the Empress Frederick, mother of Kaiser Wilhelm. This is frankly a defense of the English princess.

The foreign policy of the present kaiser is reviewed by Count Ernst zu Reventlow in *Deutschlands Auswärtige Politik, 1888-1913* (Berlin, Mittler, 1914).

Dr. Stanley Shaw is the author of an interesting biography of the German emperor, entitled *William of Germany* (Macmillan), which while it is primarily biography contains much trustworthy history. A useful supplement to this is Frederic W. Wiles's *Men around the Kaiser* (Lippincott), which sketches the lives of thirty-one prominent German leaders of the present day.

*Imperial Germany*, by Prince Bernhard von Bülow, is a sketch of recent political history (Dodd, Mead, and Company).

Professor Ferdinand Schmid of Leipzig has written a thorough study of *Bosnien und die Herzegovina unter der Verwaltung Oesterreich-Ungarns* (Leipzig, Veit, 1914).

H. Barth has published the first volume of a *Bibliographie der Schweizer Geschichte* (Basel, Basler Buch- und Antiquariatshandlung, 1914) in the series *Quellen zur Schweizer Geschichte*.

The French version of the fourth volume of Dierauer's monumental *Histoire de la Confédération Suisse*, which carries the narrative to 1798, has recently appeared.

A new history of *Der Sonderbund* (Zürich, Schäubli, 1914) by Heer and Binder has recently appeared.

A considerable number of important works on the history of Geneva have come from the press during the past two years. Mlle. Marguérite Cramer has described the negotiations between Geneva and the Swiss confederation from 1691 to 1792 in *Genève et les Suisses* (Geneva, Kündig, 1914, pp. 380). Émilie Cherbuliez has edited the *Mémoires sur Genève et la Révolution de 1770 à 1795*, of Isaac Cornuau (Geneva, Jullien, 1912, pp. xxxix, 762). The journals, souvenirs, and correspondence of eleven persons have been collected by Lucie Achard and Édouard Favre in *La Restauration de la République de Genève, 1813-1814* (two vols., *ibid.*, 1913). The *Journal pendant la Restauration Genevoise, 1813-1821*, of Marc-Jules Suès, has been edited by A. Guillot (*ibid.*, pp. xii, 290). *Genève et les Traités de 1815* (two vols., Geneva, Kündig, 1914) contains the diplomatic correspondence of Pictet de Rochemont and François d'Ivernois from Paris, Vienna, and Turin, published by the Société d'Histoire et d'Archéologie de Genève. The *Briefwechsel mit der Aargauischen Regierung während des Wiener Kongresses*, of A. Rengger, has also just been published by S. Heuberger (Aarau, Sauerländer).

Noteworthy articles in periodicals: O. Bethge, *Frankische Siedelungen in Deutschland auf Grund von Ortsnamen festgestellt* (Wörter und Sachen, VI. 1); F. Kurze, *Die Annales Laubacenses und ihre nähere Verwandtschaft* (Neues Archiv, XXXIX. 1); H. Niese, *Der Sturz Heinrichs des Löwen* (Historische Zeitschrift, CXII. 3); L. Cristiani, *Luther au Couvent, 1505-1517*, II. (Revue des Questions Historiques, April); O. Hintze, *Der Staat des Grossen Kurfürsten* (Internationale

Monatsschrift, March); J. M. Carré, *Le Piétisme de Halle et la Philosophie des Lumières, 1690-1750* (Revue de Synthèse Historique, December).

### NETHERLANDS AND BELGIUM

General reviews: T. Bussemaker, *Histoire des Pays-Bas* (Revue Historique, March); H. Brugmans, *Niederländischer Literaturbericht* (Historische Zeitschrift, CXII. 3).

*Johann und Philipp Marnix während des Vorspiels des Niederländischen Aufstandes* (Leipzig, Hermann, 1913, pp. 54) is a chapter from a larger work on Marnix which Dr. A. Elkan has in preparation.

A great mass of data for the history of learning and religion in the Netherlands is to be found in *Bronnen tot de Geschiedenis der Leidsche Universiteit*, I., 1574-1610, lately published (the Hague, Nijhoff) as no. 20 in the government's historical series. The data are from the "Acta Senatus" and the "Resoluties van Curatoren", and are edited by Dr. P. C. Molhuysen.

The final years, 1670-1672, are covered in the fourth volume of Professor R. Fruin's edition of the *Brieven van Johan de Witt* (Amsterdam, Müller, 1913). The editor of the volume is N. Japikse.

In the *Nederlandsch Archief voor Kerkgeschiedenis*, n. s., III. 4, Dr. A. Eekhof of Amsterdam has a learned article on Jacobus Koelman, the mystic and Labadist, and his residence in Amsterdam from 1676 to 1682, embracing many facts which had escaped Krull, *Jacobus Koelman* (Sneek, 1901) and Knuttel, *Balthasar Bekker* (the Hague, 1906). The later years, 1682-1691, and the call to Newcastle, Delaware, will be treated in another article.

Professor Tiemen de Vries has published under the title *Dutch History, Art, and Literature for Americans* (Grand Rapids, Eerdmans-Sevensma Company, 1912) eight lectures delivered at the University of Chicago on such themes as William the Silent, Rembrandt, Jacob Steendam, and Washington Irving, on whose Rip van Winkle legend he has much that is interesting to say.

The *Rapport* of the historical seminary of the University of Louvain concerning its labors during the academic year 1912-1913 (pp. 386-465, reprinted from the *Annuaire* of the university) will perhaps be most valued for its summaries of the seminary investigations into the history of the Jansenists, embracing papers by Abbés Baert, Janssen, De Meyer, and Lamiroy. Other papers of importance are that of M. Uytterhoeven on the temporalities of monasteries in the Low Countries during the quarrel of the investitures, M. Devester's analysis of the domain of the cathedral of Liège in the twelfth and thirteenth centuries, and a paper of Abbé Labeau on tithes in the Low Countries in the last years of the *ancien régime*.

## NORTHERN AND EASTERN EUROPE

The Danish-American Society has recently published a bibliography of books and pamphlets published in America or England that deal with Danish subjects, together with a list of Danish works which have been translated.

The last years of the Vasa dynasty in Sweden are described by S. Clason, *Gustav IV. Adolf och den Europeiska Krisen under Napoleon* (Stockholm, 1913, pp. 248), and by O. G. de Heidenstam, *La Fin d'une Dynastie* (Paris, Plon, 1914, pp. iv, 514).

Professor Carl Schirren of Kiel discusses the policy of Peter the Great in *Zur Geschichte des Nordischen Krieges* (Kiel, Mühlaus, 1913, pp. 217).

*L'Évolution de la Russie pendant les Années 1904-1907* (Paris, Plon, 1914, pp. iii, 329) is a translation by Mlle. Pluche from the Swedish original by Dr. A. Törngren.

A. Hasenclever has made a detailed study of *Die Orientalische Frage in den Jahren 1838-1841: Ursprung des Meerengenvertrages von 13 Juli 1841* (Leipzig, Koehler, 1914).

Professor N. Jorga has recently published the second volume of his *Histoire de la Roumanie*, which deals with the period from 1601 to 1825; and has edited the twenty-fourth volume in the collection of documents on Rumanian history, *Studii si Documente cu Privire la Istoria Romanilor*, which includes 400 items from the correspondence of the Dutch agents at Constantinople from 1613 to 1747. Professor P. Eliade of the University of Bucharest in the second volume of *La Roumanie au XIX<sup>e</sup> Siècle* (Paris, Hachette, 1914) treats the years 1828-1834. Two volumes of documents on the reign of Stephen the Great, the defender of Moldavia against the Turks, 1457-1503, have been published by Professor J. Bogdan of the University of Bucharest (Bucharest, Socec and Company, 1913, pp. xlvi, 518; xxi, 611).

Among the new volumes on the Balkan War are J. Pélissier, *Dix Mois de Guerre dans les Balkans, Octobre 1912-Août 1913* (Paris, Perrin, 1914, pp. x, 382); P. Risal, *La Ville Convoitée, Salonique* (*ibid.*); P. Christoff, *Journal du Siège d'Andrinople: Notes Quotidiennes d'un Assiégé* (Paris, Charles-Lavauzelle, 1914, pp. 249). The diplomatic side is discussed by G. Hanotaux, *La Guerre des Balkans et l'Europe, 1912-1913* (Paris, Plon, 1914), and Dr. B. Stambler, *Les Roumains et les Bulgares: le Traité de Bucarest, 28 Juillet-10 Août, 1913* (Paris, Jouve, 1914, pp. 219). On the position of Servia, there have appeared H. Barby, *Les Victoires Serbes* (Paris, Grasset, 1913, pp. v, 306); M. Miloyéwitch, *L'Équilibre Balkanique* (Coulommiers, Brodard, 1913); and *Les Serbes et les Bulgares dans la Guerre Balkanique* by Balkanicus (*ibid.*). The Albanian question is discussed by F. Bianconi, G. Bien-aimé, A. Chéradame, R. Perraud, de Wesselsky, and G. Yakchitch,

*La Question Albanaise* (Paris, Hachette, 1913, pp. 65); by J. Tomitch, *Les Albanais en Vieille-Serbie et dans le Sandjak de Novi-Bazar* (*ibid.*, pp. 81); and by R. Puaux, *La Malheureuse Épire* (Paris, Perrin, 1914).

Professor William M. Sloane has brought out a volume entitled *The Balkans: a Laboratory of History* (Eaton and Mains) and President Jacob G. Schurman has written on this theme *The Balkan Wars, 1912-1913*. Both volumes are intended to provide a concise account of the Balkan situation. *Turkish Memoirs*, by Sidney Whitman (Heinemann), describes an earlier period, that of 1896 to 1908, with sympathy for the Turks. D. J. Cassavetti's *Hellas and the Balkan Wars* is written from the Greek point of view (Dodd, Mead, and Company).

Noteworthy articles in periodicals: H. Koht, *Die Geschichtsauffassung der Norwegischen König-Sagas* (*Die Geisteswissenschaften*, February 26); R. Dmowski, *The Political Evolution of Poland* (*Russian Review*, November, February); R. Asmus, *Pamphilius: ein Byzantinischer Gelehrter und Staatsmann des 5. Jahrhunderts* (*Byzantinische Zeitschrift*, XXII. 3); E. W. Brooks, *The Relations between the Empire and Egypt from a New Arabic Source* (*ibid.*); W. Miller, *The Gattilusj of Lesbos, 1355-1462* (*ibid.*); J. Barth, *L'Évolution de la Question d'Orient* (*Revue des Études Historiques*, March); H. M. Wallis, *The Devastation of Macedonia* (*Quarterly Review*, April); R. M. Burrows, *The New Greece* (*Quarterly Review*, April).

### THE FAR EAST AND INDIA

Professor Joseph H. Longford's *The Evolution of New Japan*, one of the *Cambridge Manuals*, comes from the pen of a man well qualified to present the subject with skill and scholarship, even though it must be done in very limited space. He deals briefly with the early history of Japan, then develops in a somewhat more ample way the political and social reforms, the conditions of trade and industry, and the foreign relations of the empire.

The Clarendon Press has just published *A History of Fine Art in India and Ceylon* from the earliest times to the present day (pp. xx, 516, and many admirable illustrations) by the competent hands of Mr. Vincent A. Smith.

The recently formed Society for the History of the French Colonies has published a *Mémoire sur Quelques Affaires de l'Empire Mogol, 1756-1761*, by J. Law de Lauriston (Paris, Champion, 1914, pp. lvi, 589). The volume is edited by A. Martineau.

### AMERICA

#### GENERAL ITEMS

The Carnegie Institution of Washington has published in a volume of 642 pages a *Guide to the Materials in London Archives for the His-*

*tory of the United States since 1783*, by Dr. Charles O. Paullin of the Carnegie Institution and Professor Frederic L. Paxson of the University of Wisconsin. The second volume of Professor Andrews's *Public Record Office Guide* will be out soon. Professor Golder has finished his work in St. Petersburg and proceeds shortly to Moscow. Professor W. I. Hull has sailed for the Netherlands for his summer's expedition in Dutch archives, and Mr. Francis S. Philbrick for Seville where he will continue in the "Audencia de Santo Domingo" during the summer the work which Mr. Hill, during his two years' residence in Seville, completed for the "Papeles de Cuba" section of the Archives of the Indies, and will supervise the photographing of an extensive series from the latter collection, despatches of Spanish governors of Louisiana to the captains-general of Cuba.

Under the general editorship of Professor William E. Dodd, of the University of Chicago, a history of the United States, in four volumes, is in preparation, to be published by the Houghton Mifflin Company. The volume on the colonial period will be written by Professor Carl Becker of the Kansas State University, those on the three later periods by Professors Allen Johnson of Yale, Dodd of Chicago, and Paxson of Wisconsin.

Among recent accessions of the Division of Manuscripts in the Library of Congress are: additional papers of Nicholas Biddle; papers of the Argenteau family, fifteenth to nineteenth centuries; papers of Brigadier-General Cyrus B. Comstock, U. S. A.; numerous papers of Nicholas P. Trist; and miscellaneous papers relating to the University of Virginia.

The Library of Congress has issued a *List of References on Federal Control of Commerce and Corporations: Special Aspects and Applications*, compiled under the direction of H. H. B. Meyer, chief bibliographer. The list of references of a general character was issued a year ago (see vol. XVIII., p. 871).

A valuable addition to the *American Citizen* series is *Public Opinion and Popular Government* by President A. Lawrence Lowell. The author divides his study into four parts, in which he considers the Nature of Public Opinion, the Function of Parties, the Methods of Expressing Public Opinion, and the Regulations of Matters to which Public Opinion cannot directly apply. In appendixes he gives the results of the referendum and initiative in the cantons of Switzerland and in those states in which it has been tried.

The *Proceedings* of the American Antiquarian Society for its meeting of October, 1913, contains a paper by Professor A. B. Hulbert on Andrew Craigie and the Scioto Associates, an account of the papers of the Johnson family of Connecticut by Professor Max Farrand, and the beginning (Alabama to Illinois) of a bibliography (pp. 247-403) of American

newspapers, 1690-1820, compiled by Clarence S. Brigham, a list of the greatest value to historical students, in which the attempt is made to present an historical sketch of every newspaper presented in the United States between the dates mentioned, to locate all files found in the various libraries of the country, and to give a complete check-list of the files in the libraries of the American Antiquarian Society. Corrections to this list are invited. At the meeting of the society in Boston on April 8 the following papers were read: Early History of the Calendar and Almanac, by George E. Littlefield, Early Indian Migrations in New England, by R. B. Dixon, Notes on Connecticut Almanacs, by A. C. Bates, and Poinsett's Career in Mexico, by Justin H. Smith. Apropos of the acquisition by the society of a large collection of currency tokens of the Civil War period a brief history of such tokens is given in the society's *Bulletin* of May 19.

The Spanish American Atheneum, which was organized in Washington in the early days of 1913, launched in February the first number of *La Revista del Ateneo Hispano-Americano*. The periodical has also an English section, *The Review of the Spanish American Atheneum*, with contents partly identical with those of the Spanish section. The scope and purpose of the Atheneum are set forth by Señor Francisco J. Yánes, the president. Señor Don Juan Riaño y Gayangos, the Spanish ambassador, writes concerning the intellectual relations between Spain and America, Señor Don Ignacio Calderón, the Bolivian minister, of the discovery of America and its influence on democracy, and Dr. Emilio A. Yánes concerning the first Congress of Venezuela, while Dr. Patrick J. Lenox discusses the influence of Spain on English literature, and Mr. Harry Weston Van Dyke writes an appreciation of the builders of Spain's American empire.

The Proceedings of the American Political Science Association at its tenth annual meeting at Washington, December 30, 1913, to January 1, 1914, are published as a supplement to the February issue of the *American Political Science Review*. The papers of chief historical significance are the American Philosophy of Government and its Application to the Annexed Countries, by A. H. Snow; the Treaty of Ghent, a Centenary Estimate, by Frank A. Updyke; and International Responsibility of the State for Injuries sustained by Aliens during the Civil War, by Edwin M. Borchard.

The Chicago Historical Society has published in its *Fort Dearborn* series three essays by Charles Bert Reed, of which the first, *Masters of the Wilderness*, gives title to the volume. The titular essay, a study of the Hudson's Bay Company from its origin to modern times, has been printed before. The two other essays in the volume are The Beaver Club: Some Social Aspects of the Fur Trade, and A Dream of Empire: the Adventures of Tonty in Old Louisiana. The Beaver Club, the history of which is graphically related, was composed of active spirits in

the Northwest Fur Company, and from the time of its founding in 1785 to the merging of that company in the Hudson's Bay Company in 1821, is an inseparable part of that company's history. Tonty's explorations and adventures are likewise related by the author in a manner that aims to preserve all that is romantic in them.

The Yale University Press publishes *The Department of State of the United States: its History and Functions*, by Dr. Gaillard Hunt, for several years an official of that department, now chief of the division of manuscripts in the Library of Congress.

*The Year-Book*, IV. (1911-1913), of the Swedish Historical Society of America includes the address of the president, Mr. Carl G. Wallenius, "Den Högre Skolverksamheten bland Svenskarne i Amerika", delivered in November, 1912; an account of Swede Point, or Madrid, Iowa, by F. A. Danborn; Normandy of a Thousand Years ago, by Edward Schuch; and a discussion of Recent Attacks on the Reliability of the Vinland Sagas, by Julius E. Olson.

In the selections from the correspondence of Senator James R. Doolittle, concluded in the August-September number of the *Magazine of History*, are several letters of interest concerning problems at the close of the Civil War. Among the writers are Wade Hampton, David Dudley Field, Horatio Seymour, and Gideon Welles. A letter from Doolittle to President Johnson contains suggestions concerning the trial of Jefferson Davis and the organization of a "Freedman's Territory". The October-November number contains a paper by S. F. Bemis on the Settlement of the Yazoo Boundary Dispute.

The *Magazine of History Extra*, no. 23, includes Charles Pettit's *Impartial Review* (1800); no. 24 contains the *Letters of a Confederate Officer*, by R. W. Corbin, and *A Journal of the Expedition up the River St. Lawrence* (1759), by the sergeant-major of General Hopson's grenadiers; no. 25 is *Rare Lincolniana*, no. 3; and no. 26 is *Narratives of Indian Warfare in the West*, compiled by S. L. Metcalf.

The *Ethnology of the Tewa Indians* (pp. 76), by Junius Henderson and John P. Harrington, published as *Bulletin 56* of the Bureau of American Ethnology, is the result of co-operative work in New Mexico by that bureau and the School of American Archaeology.

*The American Doctrine of Judicial Supremacy*, an account of the origin and development of the practices of judicial control over legislation, by Charles G. Haines, has been issued by the Macmillan Company.

*The Rise of the American People*, "a philosophical interpretation of American history and American life", by Professor Roland G. Usher of St. Louis, has been published by the Century Company.

*History of the Churches of God in the United States of America*, the history of a distinct religious movement originating in Pennsylvania about 1825, has been published in Harrisburg, by the Churches of God Publishing House. The author is Rev. C. H. Forney.

Mr. J. G. Rosengarten has brought out a new and enlarged edition of *French Colonists and Exiles in the United States* (Lippincott).

*The Negro in American History: Men and Women Eminent in the Evolution of the American of African Descent*, by J. W. Cromwell, is put forth in Washington by the American Negro Academy.

#### ITEMS ARRANGED IN CHRONOLOGICAL ORDER

Rev. A. Eekhof of Amsterdam has written an exhaustive account of *De Hervormde Kerk in Noord-Amerika, 1624-1664* (the Hague, 1913, two vols., pp. viii, 267; vi, 204, lvii).

G. P. Putnam's Sons have issued the *Autobiography of Thomas Jefferson, 1743-1790*, together with a summary of the chief events in Jefferson's life, the introduction and notes of Paul Leicester Ford, and a foreword by George Haven Putnam.

Professor W. B. Munro has brought out through the Harvard University Press a small volume of *Selections from the Federalist* (pp. vi, 202). The selections are those parts of the *Federalist* which Professor Munro has found by experience in his class-room to be best suited for use in approaching the study of federal government. In an introduction he summarizes the work of making the Constitution, the campaign for its adoption, explains how the *Federalist* came to be written, and discusses its importance and its value as a treatise on government.

*Senate Election Cases from 1789 to 1913* (pp. 1233) has issued from the Government Printing Office (*Senate Doc. No. 1036*, 62 Cong.).

The third volume of the *Writings of John Quincy Adams*, edited by Worthington C. Ford, has come from the press (Macmillan). The period of the volume is 1801-1810.

Professor Frederic A. Ogg's *Daniel Webster* has come from the press (Jacobs). The volume is included in the *American Crisis Biographies*.

The Chicago Historical Society had for two weeks this spring an exhibition of objects illustrating the history and condition of the Republic of Liberia. The catalogue is a pamphlet which, for bibliographical and other purposes, will be valued by persons interested in the history of African colonization.

Mr. Louis M. Sears, of the University of Chicago, is at work upon a life of John Slidell.

Thomas A. Ashby, the author of *The Valley Campaigns*, has brought out through Neale a *Life of Turner Ashby* (1824-1862), brigadier-general in the Confederate army.

Mr. George Haven Putnam's *Memories of my Youth, 1844-1865*, published by G. P. Putnam's Sons, includes a record of several years' sojourn in England and on the Continent and three years' services in the Civil War.

Professor R. M. Johnston of Harvard University is at work on a volume dealing with the second Manassas campaign and would be glad to learn of any unpublished material bearing on it, Confederate or Federal.

*Joseph Pulitzer: Reminiscences of a Secretary*, by Alleyne Ireland, comes from the press of Mitchell Kennerly.

*Forty Years of it* is the title of a volume by Brand Whitlock, formerly mayor of Toledo, now minister to Belgium. The central thread of the book is the progress of democracy in the Middle West, and the reminiscences cluster around the characters prominently identified with these democratic movements.

#### LOCAL ITEMS, ARRANGED IN GEOGRAPHICAL ORDER

Reverend Dr. Henry S. Burrage, state historian of Maine, has been engaged for some time in preparation of a volume, now published by the state, entitled *The Beginnings of Colonial Maine*, covering, with large use of fresh materials, the period from 1602 to 1658.

The Maine State Library has received as a gift from Miss Elizabeth T. Thornton the historical manuscripts collected by her father, the late John Wingate Thornton of Boston. The manuscripts, which pertain principally to the history of Maine (1658-1877), have been mounted and bound in three volumes.

The January serial of the Massachusetts Historical Society contains a paper, by Mr. Andrew McFarland Davis, on the Revolutionary career of Governor Jonathan Trumbull of Connecticut, and an historical discussion, by Mr. Edward Stanwood, of trade reciprocity with Canada. Of the documentary materials the most important is a series of addresses and communications, 1768-1770, from the Sons of Liberty and individuals in Boston to John Wilkes. The documents, which are drawn from the Wilkes papers in the British Museum, are contributed by Mr. Worthington C. Ford. Mr. Ford also contributes to the February serial a paper on witchcraft by Cotton Mather, with notes by Robert Calef. The document was recently discovered by Mr. Ford in the society's library. The March-April serial contains some accounts of Isaac Allerton and Rev. John White with the Bay Colony, 1632, a letter of Burgoyne on the battle of Bunker Hill, and a group of letters to Jonathan Russell from Madame de Staël, Lucien Bonaparte, and various American public characters, 1801-1822.

In the April number of the *Essex Institute Historical Collections* appears the journal kept in Quebec from January 1 to October 30, 1775, by James Jeffry of Salem, Massachusetts. The journal has a bearing upon the Canadian invasion, although it stops short of the assault of Quebec by Montgomery. Some later letters of the journalist, brought to light after the journal was in type, throw further light on the American expedition.

The large collection of Moses Brown papers in the Rhode Island Historical Society has been augmented by a gift from the Moses Brown School of fifty volumes and many loose papers, chiefly business accounts of that eminent Quaker.

Mr. George L. Clark, whose work *Silas Deane: a Connecticut Leader in the American Revolution*, was published a short time ago, has written a *History of Connecticut*, which G. P. Putnam's Sons have published. The book deals particularly with the life of the people.

*The Financial History of New York State, 1789-1912*, by Don C. Sowers, is a recent number of the Columbia University *Studies in Political Science*.

*The Support of Schools in Colonial New York by the Society for the Propagation of the Gospel in Foreign Parts*, by W. W. Kemp, is a recent addition to the series of *Contributions to Education* emanating from the Teachers' College of Columbia University.

The *Proceedings* of the New Jersey Historical Society for October, 1913, contains the school census of Egg Harbor township in 1832 and 1834, contributed by Emma G. Steelman, and two letters concerning West Jersey in 1692.

The Historical Society of Pennsylvania has recently acquired the letter-books, account-books, letters, etc., of John Chaloner and Chaloner and White of the commissary department of the Revolution. This material is of particular value for the light which it casts upon the mode of provisioning the army from 1778 to 1783. Other noteworthy acquisitions are: Washington's orders for the advance of his army from Valley Forge to the Hudson, 1778; letters of Major Caleb Gibbs of Washington's body-guard, relating to supplies for the general's mess; letters, etc., from a number of the generals of the Revolution and delegates to Congress; 373 letters of Alexander H. Stephens; and a copy of the original map of Pennsylvania by Thomas Holme, in six parts (1682).

The *Proceedings and Collections* of the Wyoming Historical and Geological Society for the years 1913-1914 (vol. XIII.), edited by Horace E. Hayden, includes an address by Professor John L. Stewart of Lehigh University on "Some Modern Views of the Federal Constitution", discussing in particular the effects on the Constitution of industrial and economic development. Other historical articles are an account of the Beginnings of Lucerne County, Pennsylvania, by O. J. Harvey, and "Echoes of the Wyoming Massacre", no. 3, by H. E. Hayden. The most extended paper is a scientific and historical study of North Appalachian Indian pottery, by Christopher Wren.

Besides continued articles the *Maryland Historical Magazine* for March contains an interesting sketch of the career of Thomas Cressap, a pioneer of western Maryland in the first half of the eighteenth century.

Mrs. Annie M. L. Sioussat has brought out through the Lord Baltimore Press *Old Manors in the Colony of Maryland, Second Series: On the Patuxent*, interesting text with interesting illustrations.

Volume I. of W. B. Bryan's *History of the National Capital* has come from the press (Macmillan).

The *History of the "Soldiers' Home", Washington, D. C.*, edited by Eba Anderson Lawton, is mainly a collection of letters and documents (1839-1854) brought together for the purpose of proving that Major Robert Anderson, the father of the editor, was the originator and founder of the Soldiers' Home. The documents, which are made to tell largely their own story, show clearly that Major Anderson was among the foremost of those who labored for the establishment of the home; but the arrangement of the material is not always the most logical nor is the editing done in the most desirable manner. The volume constitutes nevertheless a valuable memorial to Major Anderson. Many of the documents are given in photographic facsimile (New York, Putnam, pp. 187).

The *Virginia Magazine of History and Biography* prints in its April issue the concluding portion of the commissions and instructions to the Earl of Orkney for the government of Virginia; several council papers for the years 1698-1701; a number of abstracts relating to Virginia in the year 1677; a letter from John Rolfe to Sir Thomas Dale in regard to his marriage with Pocahontas; some letters and other material, contributed by W. D. McCaw, relating to Captain John Harris of the Virginia navy, a prisoner of war in England, 1777-1779; and some statements by Virginia soldiers of the Revolution, contributed by J. T. McAllister.

The editor of the *William and Mary College Quarterly Historical Magazine* brings together in the April number a series of statements controverting the notion that society in eastern Virginia in the first half of the nineteenth century was feudalistic, a notion promulgated at the beginning of the century by William Wirt in *The British Spy*. The *Quarterly* also prints an interesting letter from Wirt to Judge St. George Tucker, August 16, 1815, concerning the manuscript of his *Patrick Henry*, and Judge Tucker's notes of criticism. Other articles are: a narrative (1798) of Col. John Stuart concerning the settlement of Greenbrier County, a continuation of the notes from the records of York County, and some extracts from the diary of Edmund Ruffin (1864) concerning the conduct of the negroes during the war.

During the year the Virginia Society of Colonial Dames will publish a volume of abstracts of the wills of old Lower Norfolk and Norfolk County, Virginia.

Professor J. M. Callahan has prepared a *Semi-Centennial History of West Virginia, with Special Articles on Development and Resources*, which is published by the Semi-Centennial Commission.

The North Carolina Historical Commission has issued for the use of the members of the general assembly *A Manual of North Carolina*, a stout volume of 1053 pages containing, besides the documentary, descriptive, statistical, and biographical material usual in such volumes, a register of colonial and state officials, executive, legislative, and judicial, 1662-1913, prepared with great care and filling nearly 600 pages. The utility of such volumes for historical purposes needs no emphasis.

*The John P. Branch Historical Papers*, vol. IV., no. 2 (June), contains biographical studies of James McDowell (1795-1851), governor of Virginia and member of Congress; of James Barbour (1775-1842), governor, United States senator, member of the Cabinet, and minister to England; and of Rev. Samuel Davies (1723-1760), minister in Virginia and president of Princeton College. These studies are by E. P. Nicholson, W. S. Long, and J. G. Hughes, jr., respectively. There is also in the volume an interesting series of letters from General Thomas Gage, addressed to officers at Fort Chartres, 1766-1772, drawn from the George Rogers Clark papers recently brought to light in the Virginia State Library.

Mr. D. E. Huger Smith publishes in the January number of the *South Carolina Historical and Genealogical Magazine* a history, largely documentary, of Wilton's statue of Pitt, erected in Charleston in 1770. In Judge Henry A. M. Smith's series of articles on the baronies of South Carolina are accounts of Raphoe, Tomotley, and Malling baronies.

*The Agrarian Revolution in Georgia, 1865-1912* (*Bulletin* of the University of Wisconsin, no. 639, pp. 129), by Professor R. P. Brooks of the University of Georgia, is a valuable study of the radical alterations in agricultural methods of management resulting from altered conditions since the Civil War. The investigation shows an almost complete breakdown of the plantation system, with the gradual development of two or more types of tenancy, and at the same time the growth of small ownerships. The latter half of the study is devoted to an examination of conditions and methods prevailing in recent years, including the land-tenure movement, distinguishing the sections of the state, as the mountain counties, the upper piedmont region, the black belt, the wiregrass, and the coast country. The principal material used in the study is the data collected by the author in 1911 when acting as expert special agent for the agricultural division of the Bureau of the Census.

Volume XIV. of the *Publications* of the Mississippi Historical Society (pp. 325), edited by Professor Franklin L. Riley, contains an extended and critical study, by Dr. Cleo Hearon, of the struggle in Mississippi over the Compromise of 1850. Although the people of Mississippi were at this time practically unanimous in support of slavery as an institution there was a sharp conflict of opinion over the policy to be pursued in its defense. Even when opinion was crystallized in favor of secession as a settled policy a further controversy was waged over the

question whether it was a constitutional or only a revolutionary right. Another valuable and interesting paper in the volume is an account, by Captain J. S. McNeily, of Barksdale's Mississippi Brigade at Gettysburg. A paper of local interest is County Seats and Early Railroads in Washington County, by Henry T. Ireys, who was concerned in building the first railroad through the county in 1878 and was for some years the general manager of the Greenville, Columbus, and Birmingham Railroad, now a part of the Southern.

*The Celebration of the Centenary of the Supreme Court of Louisiana* (pp. 66) embodies a record of the commemorative exercises of March 1, 1913, which included the presentation of papers dealing with phases of the court's history. The most elaborate of these papers is a history of the court (pp. 6-37), by Mr. Henry P. Dart. The jurisprudence of the court is discussed by Mr. Charles P. Fenner, the Louisiana Bar, 1813-1913, by Judge T. C. W. Ellis, while brief sketches of the justices of the court from the territorial organization to the present time are given by Mr. William K. Dart.

The *Second Biennial Report* (1911-1912) of the Texas Library and Historical Commission includes a list of the transcripts from the British Public Record Office obtained by the State Library and also a list of those obtained from the archives of Mexico. Transcripts from Mexican archives have been made in triplicate through the associated effort of the State Library, the University of Texas, and the University of California, and a copy deposited in each of the associating libraries. Bound with the *Report* is a *Calendar of the Papers of Mirabeau Buonaparte Lamar* (pp. 355), prepared by Miss Elizabeth H. West, archivist. The Lamar papers were recently obtained by the State Library by purchase from Mrs. Loretta Lamar Calder, the daughter of President Lamar. These papers are especially rich in materials for the history of Texas from 1821 to 1841 and also contain materials pertaining to Nicaragua and Costa Rica in 1858 and 1859, the years when Lamar was minister to those countries.

At the April meeting of the board of regents of the University of Texas, Major George W. Littlefield, C. S. A., one of the regents, established a fund of twenty-five thousand dollars for the collection of material for "the full and impartial study of the South and of its part in American history". The fund now yields six per cent. interest. After twenty-five years the principal may be used, if necessary.

The April number of the *Southwestern Historical Quarterly* contains two valuable contributions to the early history of Texas missions, the Founding of the Missions on the San Gabriel River, 1745-1749, by Professor Herbert E. Bolton, and the Apache Mission on the San Sabá River: its Founding and its Failure (1750-1758), by W. E. Dunn. Both studies are based on materials obtained by Professor Bolton in the Mexican archives.

The Arthur H. Clark Company has brought out *Athanasie de Mézière and the Louisiana-Texas Frontier, 1768-1780*, a collection, in two large volumes, of documents pertaining to southwestern history, translated into English, edited, and annotated by Professor Herbert E. Bolton. The documents have been drawn chiefly from the archives of Mexico and Spain, but in part also from the Bancroft and other collections.

*The Beginnings of Spanish Settlement in the El Paso District* (97 pp.), by Anne E. Hughes, is a separate from the *University of California Publications in History*, vol. I., no. 3. The study pertains principally to the years 1680-1685 and is based primarily upon documents recently brought to light in the Mexican archives by Professor Bolton.

*The West in the Diplomacy of the American Revolution*, by Paul C. Phillips, appears in the University of Illinois series of *Studies in the Social Sciences*.

The Ohio State Archaeological and Historical Society dedicated on May 30 a large and handsome new building for its museum and library at Columbus.

Professor John William Perrin, librarian of the Case Library, has brought out in a small edition (Cleveland, A. H. Clark Company) a valuable *History of the Cleveland Sinking Fund of 1862*.

The paper of chief importance in the March number of the *Indiana Magazine of History* is County Seats and County Seat Wars, by E. V. Shockley. Among the other articles is a brief account of the newspapers of Rush County, by John F. Moses.

The Illinois State Historical Library has issued *Travel and Description, 1765-1865; together with a List of County Histories, Atlases, and Biographical Collections, and a List of Territorial and State Laws* (Collections, vol. IX., Bibliographical Series, vol. II.), by Dr. Solon J. Buck. The book is, in fact, three bibliographies bound in one volume, for each of which Dr. Buck has prepared a useful introduction, as well as extensive bibliographical and critical annotations. By means of a system of key letters it is shown at a glance in which of fifteen important libraries a copy of the work mentioned may be found. The section on travel and description, which is more than half the volume (252 pp.), aims to include all books containing descriptions, even though brief, of the territory now included in the state of Illinois. The scope of the bibliography is therefore much wider than the state. The introduction to the bibliography of county histories, etc. (pp. 253-382), is particularly useful for its history of the making of county histories in Illinois and its account of the methods employed. The list is brought down to the present time. The bibliography of territorial and state laws (pp. 383-426) covers the period from 1788 to 1913. The volume is equipped with an extensive index.

*The Development of Banking in Illinois, 1817-1863*, by G. W. Dowrie, has been included in the University of Illinois *Studies in the Social Sciences*.

The May number of the *Register of the Kentucky State Historical Society* contains a sketch of Rear-Admiral James E. Jouett (1828-1902), by George Baber.

The Michigan Historical Commission has issued as Bulletin no. 3, *A Sketch of Historical Societies in Michigan*, by Dr. George N. Fuller.

The State Historical Society of Wisconsin has acquired by gift the papers and library of L. H. Weller, member of Congress from Iowa, 1882-1884. The manuscripts number about 10,000 pieces and have their chief value in material bearing upon the history of the greenback and populist movements. The library contains several hundred pamphlets dealing with the paper-money question. The society has recently acquired by purchase 36 volumes of the *London Gazette*, covering the years 1811-1829, and now has in its library a continuous file of the *Gazette* from 1768 to 1840. The new wing of the society's building has been finished and opened for occupancy. This completes the architectural unity of the building as originally designed.

Articles in the January number of the *Annals of Iowa* are: Early Iowa Indian Treaties and Boundaries, by Col. Alonzo Abernethy; a record of attempted lynchings in Iowa, by P. W. Black; and Establishment of the Diocese of Iowa, Protestant Episcopal Church of America, by Rev. Francis E. Judd.

Two extended articles in the April number of the *Iowa Journal of History and Politics* are a history of the Forts in the Iowa Country, by Jacob Van der Zee, and an investigation of the Defalcation of Superintendent James D. Eads, by Thomas Teakle. Eads was state superintendent of public instruction, 1854-1857, and the funds involved were those derived from the sale of school lands. Two documents of interest appear in this number. The one, under the title "French Expedition against the Sac and Fox Indians in the Iowa Country, 1734-1735", is the narrative of Captain Nicolas Joseph de Noyelles, reprinted from the *Collections*, vol. XVII., of the State Historical Society of Wisconsin, with an introduction by Jacob Van der Zee; the other, under the title "The Quakers of Iowa in 1850", is a portion of the journal of Robert Lindsey, an English Quaker who came to the United States in 1846 and travelled extensively among the Quakers in this country. The journal is edited with introduction and notes by Dr. Louis T. Jones, whose volume, *The Quakers of Iowa*, was recently published by the State Historical Society of Iowa.

The Missouri Historical Society has recently received some valuable and interesting collections of manuscripts, which contain much matter pertaining to the military and commercial history of Missouri: a number

of original papers and letters of Auguste Chouteau; a collection of manuscripts belonging to Henry G. Soulard; 482 letters and manuscripts, mostly political and military, of the Civil War period, presented by Dr. John F. Snyder of Virginia, Illinois; and a large and unique collection of modern Indian articles—wearing apparel, weapons, and ceremonial objects, mainly of the Sioux and Cheyenne tribes.

*Slavery in Missouri, 1804-1865* (pp. 259), a recent number of the Johns Hopkins University *Studies in Historical and Political Science*, by H. A. Trexler, is especially valuable as a study of definite facts and conditions of slavery in a definite region. Especial attention is given to slavery as an economic system in Missouri, tax books, court records, and many private papers and records being drawn upon for material. Among the other topics treated at length are the legal and social status of the slave, the slavery issue in the churches, the effect of the free state of Kansas on slavery in Missouri, and an examination into the extent and methods of manumission.

Among the articles in the April number of the *Missouri Historical Review* are: Fort Orleans, the first French Post on the Missouri, by M. F. Stipes; and Echoes of Indian Emigration, by David W. Eaton.

The third volume of the Nebraska State Historical Society's *Constitutional Convention* series has come from the press. Vol. XVII. of the society's *Collections* is in the hands of the printer.

*Old Santa Fé: a Magazine of History, Archaeology, Genealogy, and Biography*, the publication of which was inaugurated in Santa Fé, New Mexico, in July, 1913, is printing a history of New Mexico under Mexican Administration, 1821-1846, by Rev. L. B. Bloom. The July, October, and January numbers bring the history down to the year 1832. Other articles are: a biographical account of Kirby Benedict, a federal judge in New Mexico, 1853-1871 (July number), by R. E. Twitchell; a history of the Taos Rebellion, 1846-1847 (October number), by E. B. Burton; and the Re-Conquest of New Mexico, 1692: Extracts from the Journal of General Don Diego de Vargas Zapata Luján Ponce de León (January).

*The Mining Advance into the Inland Empire* (pp. 254), by William J. Trimble, professor of history and social science in North Dakota Agricultural College, is issued as a *Bulletin* of the University of Wisconsin (no. 638). It is described on the title-page as "a comparative study of the beginnings of the mining industry in Idaho and Montana, eastern Washington and Oregon, and the southern interior of British Columbia; and of institutions and laws based upon that industry". The work includes an historical survey of the mining advance, covering the years 1855-1870; treatment of the economic and social aspects; and finally an examination into the establishment of government and law in British Columbia and in the American territories. The author has made use of a variety of manuscript sources in the Montana Historical

Library at Helena, the Library of the Academy of Pacific Coast History, and the Provincial Library and Archives of British Columbia.

The Washington State Library has issued a *Subject Index to the History of the Pacific Northwest and of Alaska* (pp. 341) as found in the United States government publications, 1789-1881, including the *American State Papers*.

The principal article in the April number of the *Washington Historical Quarterly* is the continuation of the Journal of John Work. Professor Edmond S. Meany contributes an installment of a journal (beginning in March, 1792) kept by a member of the crew of the *Chatham*, consort of Vancouver's ship *Discovery*. The journal was discovered in a London book-store by Mr. A. H. Turnbull of Wellington, New Zealand.

*America and the Philippines*, by Carl Crow, deals especially with industrial development of the islands under American administration (Doubleday, Page, and Company). The late Mr. LeRoy's *The Americans in the Philippines*, announced in our last number, has been published (Houghton Mifflin) and will soon be reviewed.

The Canadian government has issued (Ottawa, 1914, pp. 576; sessional paper no. 29c) the second volume of *Documents relating to the Constitutional History of Canada, 1791-1818*, edited by Dr. A. G. Doughty, the archivist of the Dominion, and Mr. Duncan A. McArthur. The volume continues that published by Messrs. Doughty and Short in 1907 on much the same plan, but with ampler annotations. Commissions, instructions, proclamations, acts, opinions, journals, despatches, reports, in great number, enable the student to follow Canadian constitutional history in much detail and under expert guidance.

The *Review of Historical Publications relating to Canada*, vol. XVIII. (publications of the year 1913), edited by George M. Wrong, H. H. Langton, and W. Stewart Wallace, maintains the high character of the publication for judicious and scholarly reviews, several of which are written by others than those whose names appear on the title-page. For instance, five of the principal books bearing upon Canada's relations to the empire are reviewed by Professor Edward Kylie of the University of Toronto, and two of the books upon the War of 1812 are reviewed by Lieutenant-Colonel E. A. Cruikshank, who himself brought out two volumes on the period during the year. As usual also the scope of the volume is large, as it includes works that only incidentally or to a minor extent bear upon Canadian history, as well as works of a semi-historical character, on geography, economics, archaeology, etc. Nearly half of the 245 pages of the volume are given over to works of the latter sorts. The output of strictly historical books and articles of high character during the year is noteworthy.

A two-volume *Histoire du Protestantisme Français au Canada et aux États-Unis* (Lausanne, Bridel, 1913, pp. viii, 396; 342) has been written by R. P. Duclos.

Professor N.-E. Dionne of Laval University has compiled a dictionary of *Les Canadiens-Français, Origine des Familles Émigrées de France, d'Espagne, de Suisse, etc., pour venir se fixer au Canada, depuis la Fondation de Québec jusqu'à ces Derniers Temps, et Signification de leurs Noms* (Quebec, Garneau; Montreal, Granger, 1914, pp. xxxiii, 611). Information is given concerning about 9000 family names which will be useful to historians and genealogists in the United States as well as in Canada.

Among the contents of the *Ninth Annual Report* (1912) of the Bureau of Archives of Ontario are the journals of the Legislative Assembly of Upper Canada, 1812-1818.

Professor Wilbur H. Siebert's paper on *The American Loyalists in the Eastern Seigniories and Townships of the Province of Quebec*, printed in the *Transactions of the Royal Society of Canada*, third series, vol. VII., has been issued separately.

It is announced that Mr. Beckles Willson, author of *The Life and Letters of James Wolfe*, and *The Romance of Canada*, will write the official biography of Lord Strathcona.

The *Boletín del Archivo Nacional* (Cuba) prints in the January-February and March-April numbers seventeen documents of the "Correspondencia de los Intendentes Generales de Hacienda de la Isla de Cuba con el Gobierno de España", 1746, and continues the documentary record of the "Gran Legión del Aguila Negra" (see above, p. 731). The earlier number contains also the report, November 3, 1817, of Juan Ventura Morales to Alejandro Ramírez, intendant of Cuba, concerning the aggressions of the United States upon Spanish territory in the Floridas (see Pérez, *Guide*, p. 108).

*The Mexican People: their Struggle for Freedom*, by L. Gutiérrez de Lara and Edgumb Pinchon, presents Mexican history of the last hundred years wholly from the point of view of the native Mexican. It is a plea in the case of "the people" *versus* the "master class". This master class is represented as exploiting Mexico for their own aggrandizement, in later years in league with capitalistic adventurers of the United States and other countries. The clergy are likewise denounced for their betrayal of the cause of the people. Díaz is subjected to the severest excoriation and Madero receives scant sympathy. Fundamentally the Mexican problem is agrarian, the solution democratization of the land. This is the theme of the book, if it has a theme. Its purpose is clear enough, the justification of the present revolution. Of judicious weighing of evidences there is none, of historical value but little.

The third volume of *La Diplomacia Mexicana*, of which the first volume was published in 1910, has now appeared. The work emanates from the department of Relaciones Exteriores.

A *Digesto de Relaciones Exteriores* of Argentina, 1810-1913, has been issued by the Departamento de Relaciones Exteriores y Culto.

Noteworthy articles in periodicals: W. S. Wallace, *New Light on the Vinland Voyages* (Canadian Magazine, April); Alvarado in *El Salvador* [Letter of Pedro de Alvarado to Hernando Cortes, July 28, 1524, translation] (Pan-American Magazine, May); Henri Gravier, *La Colonisation de la Louisiane*, cont. (La Nouvelle Revue, April 15); F. T. Hill, *Adventures in American Diplomacy: I. The Affair of X, Y, and Z; II. The Inside History of the Louisiana Purchase* (Atlantic Monthly, April, May); Gaillard Hunt, *William Thornton and John Fitch* (Nation, May 21); J. Basdevant, *Deux Conventions peu connues sur le Droit de la Guerre: États-Unis d'Amérique et Grande-Bretagne, 12 Mai 1813, Colombie et Espagne, 26 Novembre 1820* (Revue Générale de Droit International Public, January-February); H. J. Ford, *Disorderly States* (Atlantic Monthly, May); W. M. Sloane, *Some Uses of American Parties* (Harper's Monthly, June); A. R. H. Ranson, *Reminiscences of the Civil War by a Confederate Staff Officer*, III. (Sewanee Review, April); C. O. Paullin, *A Half Century of Naval Administration in America, 1861-1911*, XI. (U. S. Naval Institute Proceedings, March-April); E. A. Ross, *The Germans in America* (Century Magazine, May); E. A. Ross, *The Scandinavians in America* (*ibid.*, June); A. G. Dewey, *The Beginnings of British Commerce at Montreal* (Canadian Magazine, May); J. E. Wetherell, *John Galt, Founder of Cities* (*ibid.*, May); P. de Arrilucea, *Los Agustinos en Méjico en el Siglo XVI.*, cont. (La Ciudad de Dios, April 20); Leopold Lugones, *Le Panaméricanisme* (Revue Sud-Américaine, January); R. de Manjarrés, *Proyectos Españoles de Canal Interoceánico* (Revista de Archivos, Bibliotecas, y Museos, January); A. S. Tuaner, *La Révolution de Panama, 3 Novembre 1903* (Revue d'Histoire Diplomatique, April); M. Serrano y Sanz, *Biografía de D. Diego Ladron de Guevara, Obispo de Panamá, Guamanga, y Quito, Virrey del Perú* (Revista de Archivos, Bibliotecas, y Museos, January); L. Drago, *Les Origines de nos [South American] Institutions* (Revue Sud-Américaine).